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ALTERATIVE.
FOR TUMORS.
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DR. E. C. WEST'S NERVE AND BRAIN TREATMENT.
A GUARANTEED SPECIFIC FOR Hysteria, Dizziness, Convulsions, Fits, Nervous Neuralgia, Headache, Nervous Prostration caused by the use of alcohol or tobacco, Wakefulness, Mental Depression, Softening of the Brain resulting in insanity and leading to misery, decay and death. Prescriptions in either sex, Impotency, Loss of Seminal Fluid, etc., and all other ailments of the brain, spinal cord and nerves. Each box contains one month's treatment. \$1.00 a box, or six boxes for \$5.00. Sent by mail prepaid on receipt of price.

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A guaranteed cure for Piles of whatever kind or degree—External, Internal, Blind or Bleeding, Itching, Chronic, Recent or Hereditary. \$1.00 a box; 6 boxes, \$5.00. Sent by mail, prepaid, on receipt of price. We guarantee to cure any case of Piles. Guaranteed and sold only by
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.,
Alexandria, Va.

BUILDING MATERIAL, &c.
[ESTABLISHED 69 YEARS.]
JOSHUA H. D. SMOOT & SON,
DEALERS IN
Lumber, Shingles, Laths,

NAILS, LIME, CEMENT, CALCINED PLASTER, &c., &c., &c.
MANUFACTURERS OF
FLOORING, DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, FRAMES, MOULDINGS, MANTELS, BRACKETEES, AND ALL KINDS OF WOOD WORK.
Office and yard No. 21 North Union st. Factory No. 15 and 16 North Lee st. Alexandria, Va.
No charge for delivery in city. Jan 28

SMOOT & CO.,
[Successors to J. Hector Smoot & Co.]
Steam Flooring and Planing Mill
Manufacturers of
DOOR and WINDOW FRAMES, MOLDINGS, &c.
LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHS, NAILS, LIME, CALCINED PLASTER and CEMENT.
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PERRY & SON,
LUMBER MERCHANTS,
OFFICE NO. 128 KING ST., ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.
Dealers in Doors, Sash, Blinds, Mouldings, Cement, Calcined Plaster, Lime, Hair, Nails, &c.
Dressed Lumber kept under cover. sep5

BRICKS.
THE ALEXANDRIA BRICK WORKS,
Situating on Hunting Creek, are now prepared to receive orders and deliver Bricks of all kinds used in the trade on the shortest notice. Apply to
M. B. HARLOW,
Secretary and Treasurer.

TOOTH, NAIL, and HAIR BRUSHES, with a full line of FINE TOILET SOAPS, just received.
E. L. ALLEN,
Corner King and Pitt streets.

FRENCH SACHET POWDERS—Heliotrope, Violet and White Rose—tasting and fragrant.
ERNEST L. ALLEN,
Corner King and Pitt streets.

TABLE and POCKET CUTLERY for sale at old prices, regardless of the large advance. Call and examine before purchasing at 328 King st.
J. T. O'BRIGHTON & SON.

BEAUTIFUL SILK HANDKERCHIEFS and MUFFLERS, white, black and in colors at
AMOS B. SLAYMAKER'S.

STEEL HANGERS for barn doors and rail just received at 328 King street, corner of Royal.
J. T. O'BRIGHTON & SON.

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A Hole in the Ground

There is a well-developed movement on foot in Chicago to make what will be the most original and unique attraction at the World's Fair—a great mine—a successful undertaking from a monetary and advertising point of view. A company has been formed, to be known as the American Underground Mining Exhibit Company, with \$1,000,000 capital. It is proposed to raise half the sum in Colorado as a large part of the company mine will be given to working plans of its leading mines.

A shaft 50 feet by 12 in the clear is to be sunk a depth of at least 500 feet. The shaft will be mounted with an iron structure, in which the various hoisting appliances will be placed. Entry rooms to elevators and cages will also be constructed. The shaft will be divided into eight compartments—six for the elevators, one for the air and water columns and one for "cranks" who may desire to descend by a ladder.

At the bottom of the shaft an enormous pump will be constructed, and at the side of the shaft a pump room. A corridor in the form of an ellipse around the shaft, 700 feet in length, will be constructed, the floor to be of marble taken from the well-known quarries of the country, lined with plate glass and artistically decorated. On the inner face of the corridor will be placed a museum containing specimens of ore from every mine in the Union. Columns of Colorado marble and Vermont granite, with sculpture and statuary will be interspersed.

Outside of this elliptical corridor will be the line of drifts reached by escalators. From the center circle of drifts different excavations will be made, some to form exact representations of the famous mines. The carbonate silver ore of Leadville will be in one place, the ore of Aspen in another, and so on. Pennsylvania's coal mines, Wisconsin's iron ore and Montana's copper ore will be included, and in fact, all the prominent mines of the United States will be represented.

It is also proposed to have the various appliances in use in this country, as an annual operation. Electric drills and steam drills can be seen in operation and compared, and the force of the different powers tested. In the great compartments the latest and most powerful apparatus will be in use. Six cages fitted in a most elaborate style, will make the trip in about five minutes, and each will be constructed to carry from thirty to forty passengers, so that from 30,000 to 40,000 people could pass up and down in one day. The shafts will be lighted with electric lights and sheathed with iron so as to be waterproof. Down below the scene will, it is believed, rival in brilliancy and picturesque the most gorgeous picture dreamed of by romancers or painters. Aladdin's cave would be in comparison a common, everyday hole in the ground.

"Please Remove Your Hats."

The theater was crowded. The curtain had just risen. Jewels flashed, gay plumes on wondrous headpieces glittered in the heat of air, costly fashions waved slowly to and fro and the fashionable audience turned its eyes and opera glasses toward the stage and settled into the hush and expectation that precedes the opening of the play when the experienced stage manager has waited considerably for all the late comers to be seated before the bell taps for the curtain to rise.

In a conspicuous location about half way between the orchestra and the front seats of the parquet circle were three ladies, who had come to unattended about five minutes before. They were noticeable for the wide, floating, unobtrusive hats they wore. Directly behind them sat a nervous-looking, despairing man, who was making but fruitless attempts to see the stage. The wide hats, with their wealth of tropical bird foliage, hid everything he wanted to see from his view. In vain he wriggled and squirmed and craned his neck from side to side. The hats were too large, too close together and too richly appointed.

Apparently unconscious that he was attracting the attention of everybody in his neighborhood, and bringing the ladies in front of him into unpleasant prominence, he persevered till sounds of ill-suppressed laughter were heard on all sides of him. Then he settled himself back in his chair with a world-weary sigh, but the next moment took advantage of a lull in the performance on the stage to lean forward and address one of the ladies—the one who sat in the middle.

"Madam," he said in a loud whisper, "I beg pardon, but it is utterly impossible for me to see through your hat, and the Lord made me too small to see over it. If you will kindly remove it you will make me wretched and happy for a whole evening."

The forty or fifty persons who were looking on saw the lady remove her head at once, turn around and smilingly beg his pardon. They saw the other two ladies take off their hats as well, and the example became instantly contagious. The next moment enormous bunches of tropical bird foliage were being tossed to the rear of the seats directly behind them. Then the star of the evening stepped on the stage and the attention of the audience was attracted to the performance again.

The details of this pleasing little incident are giving in full for the purpose of explaining to those who witnessed it that the whole affair was prearranged.

The lady whom that man addressed was his wife and the other two were his sisters. *Chicago Tribune*

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY. A marvelous cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker mouth, and Headache. With each bottle there is an ingenious nasal injector for the more successful treatment of these complaints without extra charge. Price 50c. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., Agents.

MEDICINAL.

Take

Simmons

Liver

Regulator

One Dose

WORTH

100 Dollars

Dear S. L. R.—Friends: I consider one dose of Simmons Liver Regulator worth \$100. I was constipated, had headache, could eat nothing with satisfaction or appetite; had the blues and felt altogether out of sorts. I resorted to blue mass, calomel, quinine and all remedies suggested, but only obtained temporary relief. One dose of S. L. R. did me more good than the \$100 worth of doctors and doctoring. Respectfully,
T. C. MARLEY

I have been a teacher for twenty years, and during that time have had repeated attacks of headache produced by torpid liver, and I have been entirely cured by the use of Simmons Liver Regulator. I found it to be of mild character in its action as not to interfere in the least with my duties in the school room. To those similarly situated and subject to same, I cannot too highly recommend Simmons Liver Regulator. **E. A. CREEK,** Campbellville, Ky.

FOR SALE AND RENT.

FOR RENT.

THE FRAME HOUSE
No. 413 South Lee street. The house is in perfect order, and to a good tenant the rent will be low. Apply at
504 PRINCE STREET.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

There will be a general meeting of the UNITED STATES HARNES MANUFACTURING COMPANY, held at No. 400 Prince street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock m., on FRIDAY, the 20th day of February, 1891, called by the undersigned, who holds more than one-third of the capital stock.
J. E. SAWYERS.

BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!
FRENCH'S,
417 & 419 KING STREET.

Biggest jobber known in Envelopes, Shipping Tags, Packets, Note and Letter Heads, Folders, and Bill Card, Drafts, Receipts, Statements, Bill Heads, Merchandise Orders, Specialties in Toilet Papers, Paper Bags, all sizes, &c. We have an immense line of these goods at prices that will simply astonish you—cheaper than ever. The most elegant display.

PLAIN STATIONERY.
Plain and Stamped Paper of all kinds, Wedding Stationery, Society Programmes, latest line of Orders of Dance and Steel Plate Folders, very latest and prettiest designs.

Mourning stationery a specialty—the first manufactured for polite correspondence.

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Agents for Standard Remington Type Writer and the celebrated Estey Pianos and Organs.

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417 & 419 King street.

PROFESSIONAL.

DR. J. BARTLETT HILLS,

DENTIST,

Has removed his office to 1331 F street n. w., Washington, D. C., rooms 3 and 4 first floor, where he will continue his practice—giving special attention to the correction of irregularity or straightening of children's teeth; also the making of all kinds of artificial teeth. **Jan 3m**

WATCHES AND JEWELRY.

HENRY WILDT,

JEWELER AND OPTICIAN,

318 KING STREET, Alexandria, Virginia.

A fine assortment of WATCHES, JEWELRY, SILVER and PLATED WARE, CLOCKS, SPECULUMS and EYE GLASSES.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

NOTICE—I hereby give notice that I have this day entered into co-partnership with my son, FRENCH SMOOT, for the purpose of continuing the LUMBER, DOOR, SASH and BLIND business at the old stand, under the firm name and style of JOSHUA H. D. SMOOT & SON, and solicit a continuance of past favors. All persons indebted to the firm of Joshua H. D. Smoot are requested to make prompt settlement with the new firm.
FRANCIS P. SMOOT,
Alexandria, Va., Jan. 19th, 1891. **Jan 24 1w**

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between Samuel L. Monroe and I. M. Kell, under the firm name of MONROE & KELL, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, the said Samuel L. Monroe having purchased the interest of I. M. Kell in the said business. Samuel L. Monroe is alone authorized to collect the monies due to the late firm and is responsible for the liabilities thereof, payment of which will be made upon presentation of the bills.

Dated Alexandria, Va., January 17th, 1891.
SAM'L L. MONROE.
I. M. KELL.

The undersigned will continue from this date the wholesale commission and produce business heretofore conducted by the above firm at No. 316 Cameron street.
Jan 19 1w
S. L. MONROE & CO.

Alexandria, Va., January 14, 1891.

I HAVE THIS DAY PURCHASED the stock and fixtures now in the store numbered 320 King street, between Royal and Fairfax streets, and will continue the business heretofore conducted by Lewis J. Combs. I have appointed Lewis J. Combs my agent to conduct the business.
Jan 16 2w
G. W. BRYANT.

ROCHESTER LAMPS and PEARL TOP CHIMNEYS.

ROCHESTER LAMPS and PEARL TOP CHIMNEYS. Sole agents.
E. J. MILLER & SON.

PRIME CANNED PEACHES for sale by

J. C. MILBURN.

NEW CODFISH just received by

J. C. MILBURN.

AUCTION SALES.

By O'Neal & Lunt, Auctioneers.

Great Auction Sale

At 320 King street, between Royal and Fairfax, Alexandria, Va.

Will be sold at public auction on THURSDAY, January 29th, at 10 o'clock a. m., one of the best selected stocks of goods in the city, consisting in part of the following articles, viz:

GLASSWARE, TINWARE, CHINA, STONEWARE, CUTLERY, SPOONS, LAMPS, ACCORDIONS, BASKETS, BED ROOM SETS and all HOUSEKEEPING ARTICLES, too numerous to mention.

The above named goods are all of recent purchase—no old stock.

This sale will be continued from day to day and night until the stock is disposed of.

GEORGE W. BRYANT.

The attention of dealers is particularly called to this sale. **Jan 27 1w**

By Green & Wile, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

By virtue of a deed of trust made by Mrs. Anna K. Monch, bearing date on the 13th day of May, 1876, and recorded in the land records of Fairfax county, Virginia, in Liber K, No. 4, folio 335, the subscriber, as trustee in said deed, being thereto required by the beneficiaries in said deed of trust, will expose for sale at public auction, in front of the Market Building, on Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on

SATURDAY, THE 21st DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1891, at 12 m.,

the property conveyed by the said deed of trust; to wit:

1st, A TRACT OF LAND in the county of Fairfax, Virginia, containing 130 acres, more or less.

2d, A TRACT OF LAND in said county of Fairfax, adjoining or near to the above, containing 10 acres, more or less.

3d, THE LIFE ESTATE or dower interest of the said Anna K. Monch (now Proll) in a tract of land in said county of Fairfax, containing 23 39 100 ac. as improved by a comfortable FRAME DWELLING and good outbuildings.

Tracts of land Nos. 1 and 2 are about 5 miles from Alexandria, near the Mount Vernon road. Tract No. 3 is about 2 1/2 miles from Alexandria on the Telegraph road.

Terms of sale: Cash. **Jan 25 2w**
ALBERT STUART, Trustee.

By O'Neal & Lunt, Auctioneers.

AT PUBLIC AUCTION—LOTS ON UNION STREET.

Under authority of the will of Wm. N. McVeigh, decd., and of the decree of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Va., in the suit of Allen vs. McVeigh, the subscribers, as executor and special commissioner of sale, respectively, will offer at public auction at the Fairfax street entrance to the Court room of said Court, on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 31st, 1891, at 12 m., the following described property, to wit:

1. LOT OF GROUND on the west side of Union street, between Cameron and Queen streets, beginning at the intersection of Thompson's alley (an alley from Union to Lee street through the middle of the square) and running thence southwardly with Union street sixty-nine feet seven and one-half inches to the line of said parcel, thence westwardly with that line parallel to Cameron street one hundred and fifty feet; thence northwardly parallel to Union street sixty-nine feet seven and one-half inches to the said alley; thence eastwardly with the line of said alley to the beginning.

2. LOT OF GROUND on the west side of Union street, between Cameron and Queen streets, beginning at the northeast corner of the bake house owned by Richard Conway to Thomas Conway (about one hundred and sixty-nine feet nine inches north of Queen street) and running thence north on Union street forty-nine feet two inches to the line of Smith; thence west parallel to Queen street one hundred and forty feet, more or less to Brockett's alley; thence southwardly with said alley forty-nine feet two inches; thence eastwardly parallel to Queen street one hundred and forty feet, more or less, to the beginning.

Terms: One-third cash; the balance in two equal installments at six and twelve months from sale, with interest; the bonds of said parcels to be given for the deferred installments and lien on property to secure their payment.

S. FERGUSON BEACH,
Executor of Wm. N. McVeigh, decd.
MORGAN H. BEACH,
Commissioner of Sale.

J. John S. Beach, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, do hereby certify that Morgan H. Beach, Commissioner of Sale in the suit of Allen vs. McVeigh, has executed the bond required by the decree of sale in said suit. Given under my hand this 8th day of December, 1890 (Signed) **JOHN S. BEACH,** Clerk. **Jan 20 1w**

CHINAWARE, &c.

A BEAUTIFUL DISPLAY.

or

CHOICE GOODS.

We have received during the past week a well-selected assortment of goods in China, Bisque, Carlsbad, Worcester, Adirondic, Doulton, and Rich Cut Glass, also a beautiful line of Brass Lamp Goods, including Parlor, Library, Banquet, and Piano Lamps, fitted with the "Celebrated Rochester Burners." We have marked all at very low figures, and feel confident that the same goods cannot be bought for less. A place of "Worcester" to have you call, get our prices and examine these goods. **dec 10**
E. J. MILLER & SON.

A HUNDRED DECORATED CHAMBER SETS.

We have in stock the handsomest line of Decorated Chamber Sets ever offered in this city and at prices that are so low that you will find lower than they can be purchased for, not only in Alexandria but in Washington. If you will call we will take pleasure in showing them to you, and feel sure of pleasing you. A household of brand new patterns received to day direct from the factory at **oct 29**
E. J. MILLER & SON'S.

A CASE OF GENUINE "ROYAL WORCESTER."

We are in receipt this day of a package of "Royal Worcester," containing many choice pieces, especially selected for this market and imported specially to our order. We offer them at remarkably low figures. A place of "Worcester" makes a most acceptable wedding or Christmas present. Call and select the piece you wish to purchase, and we will set it aside until you need it. For sale by **oct 29**
E. J. MILLER & SON.

A CARD—We are aware that a number of Alexandrians go to Washington for their CHINA and GLASSWARE, and we believe that with the proper effort and attention all or nearly all of these people can be induced to buy goods in this line at home. We intend therefore to do all in our power to further this end, and for this purpose we have selected our stock for fall with more than usual care and foresight. Our retail department, besides, we put under the special care of our salesmen, and it will be his duty to see that the stock is always full, and to attend to the wants of our Alexandria customers. We only keep "firsts" (goods selected by the manufacturer as perfect), and we buy only from the manufacturer. For this reason, we can sell you not only the best goods, but at the very lowest prices. In fine French china, we will order any of Haviland's patterns at a very reasonable price. Hoping that our efforts may be rewarded, and thanking you for past kindness, we are very truly yours, **sep 27**
E. J. MILLER & SON.

HOMINY FLAKES, new and nice, just received by

J. C. MILBURN.

NEW SUPPLY OF BLANKETS and COMFORTS—Comforts \$1, Blankets from 50c up.

AMOS B. SLAYMAKER.

A FULL LINE OF FRESH NUTS, CANDIES

&c., just received by **J. C. MILBURN.**

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&c., just received by **J. C. MILBURN.**

AMORE'S MINCE MEAT just received by

J. C. MILBURN.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Change of Business.

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When the new year (1891) sets in we mean to have our entire stock of BOOTS, SHOES, DRY GOODS and GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS reduced so much as our great efforts can accomplish; and in order to be able to gain that object, we will commence on Saturday, the 25th instant, and offer for sale everything in our store at prices which will astonish everybody. We intend making considerable alterations and improvements in our store, and when finished we will add new and different lines of goods in the various departments.

KAUFMANN'S DOUBLE COMBINATION STORE

COAL AND WOOD.

COAL--WOOD

BERRY & GROVER,
YARD FOOT OF FRANKLIN ST.,
(Ship Yard)

DEALERS IN BEST QUALITY

GEORGE'S CREEK CUMBERLAND COAL.

2340 lbs to the ton guaranteed.

OAK AND PINE WOOD.

Specially prepared for family use, SAWED AND SPLIT.

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GEORGE S. SMITH & SON,

DEALERS IN

WOOD AND COAL,

NORTH FAIRFAX STREET
Alexandria, Virginia.

Coal stored in cellars without extra charge, and guaranteed free from impurities.

SEE OUR NEW WAGON.

COAL! COAL!

We invite the attention of dealers and consumers to our large stock of CAREFULLY PREPARED COAL of the following varieties: **LYONS VALLEY, CORBERRY and SHAMOKIN RED ASH.**

WHITE ASH (free burning and hard) of steam, brick, egg, stove and nut sizes.

Also GEORGE'S CREEK, CUMBERLAND and KANAWHA SPLIT, from West Va.

Making Coal a specialty, we aim to keep only the HIGHEST GRADES.

Yards located, and all Coal sent out WELL GREASED and FREE FROM IMPURITIES.

J. R. Zimmerman,

WHARF AND YARDS FOOT OF QUEEN ST. **Jan 22 1w**

COUPONS for STATE TAXES

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